

## SOCIETY

Captain and Mrs. Robert Hill Carter are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carter, at their home, 494 West Franklin Street. Captain and Mrs. Carter have just returned from Fort Sill, Okla., where the former has been in special training for some time past.

**Invitations Issued.**  
Mr. and Mrs. John M. Miller, Jr., have issued invitations for the wedding reception of their daughter, Mallie Floyd, to James Douglas Cook, also of this city, at 7 o'clock Friday evening, June 7, in their home, 307 Floyd Avenue. The ceremony will take place at 6:30 o'clock in the presence of only the immediate families and a few intimate friends.

**Approaching Wedding.**  
Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Dillard, of Scottsville, have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Sara, to John Richard Haymes, the ceremony to take place Saturday evening, June 8, at 6 o'clock in the Scottsville Baptist Church. Mr. Haymes and his bride will be at home after June 20 at Paces.

**Returns to Richmond.**  
Mrs. Robert V. Whitehurst, who has been living in Atlanta, Ga., for the past year to be with Captain Whitehurst who was stationed at Camp Gordon, has returned to the city. She is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Whitehurst at the Westover Apartments, Monument Avenue.

**At Home This Afternoon.**  
Miss Adele Clark and Miss Nora Houston will be at home informally this afternoon from 5 to 6:30 o'clock at their atelier, 118 East Franklin Street, in honor of Mrs. Gustavus Gudgen, of Rio de Janeiro. Mrs. Gudgen, who is a cousin of Miss Clark, is visiting in Richmond at the home of her uncle, E. S. Goodman, and her aunt, Mrs. Robert Clark, in Ginter Park.

The exhibition at the atelier of portraits of notable Virginians by William L. Sheppard, the sale of which is for the benefit of the Red Cross, is open daily from 10 to 2 o'clock and from 4 to 7 o'clock.

**Benefit Dances Saturday.**

The Women's Auxiliary to the Howitzers' Association will give a dance Saturday evening, from 8 to 12 o'clock, on the roof garden of the Richmond Hotel. The affair is for the benefit of the Howitzers in active service, Rockbridge Battery, at Anniston, Ala. It will be a very attractive event and refreshments will be served. All interested are invited.

**Patriotic Show Friday.**

An interesting event of Friday evening will be the patriotic show given at the William H. School at 25 o'clock. The program will include moving pictures, folk dances, solos and fancy dancing, and the following artists will take part: Mrs. J. K. Bowman, soloist; Berkeley Davis, dancer; Thelma Gardner, pupil of Miss Idear; E. T. Taylor and Gwendolyn Selden, dancer, trained by Miss Ella Binford. The public is cordially invited to attend.

**Thompson-Lacy.**  
The marriage of Mrs. Cora Lee Lacy and Gilbert Walker Thompson was celebrated Monday, the Rev. Leland W. Smith officiating. Immediately after the ceremony Mrs. Lacy and her husband left for a trip to Washington, Baltimore and Luray.

**Minstrels to Entertain Camp Lee Boys.**  
Word was received here yesterday from Camp Lee that enthusiasm was high among the soldiers when information reached them that the White Rose Minstrels, of this city, will give a free concert and entertain the boys Friday, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. in their auditorium. Among the members of this popular company are: Misses Frieda Battige, Nellie Clouds, Florence Kilde, Catherine L. Nara, Walsh, Audrey Gill, Garnett Kracke, Minnie Gill, Virgie Parker, Helen Gill, Elizabeth Seay, Ethel Phillips, Rosalie Seal, Ruth Houston, Charles Hay, Fred Collins, Rosevelt Tyson, Lynn Bates, C. B. Fowler, Raymond Redford, Edwin Clarke, Charles Kacho, Charles W. Phillips, Jr., William Jackson, Ernest David Mayes, Everett Ragland, R. C. Snellings, William Ragland, Louis Smith and Mr. Keyser.

**Class Reunion.**  
The 1917-18 class of Marcus Kellerman's school of singing will give a concert at the Jefferson Hotel Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock, June 6. The program will include scenes and excerpts from grand opera, and all music lovers are cordially invited to attend.

**IN AND OUT OF TOWN.**  
Mrs. Edmund Conway, of Orange, is visiting relatives here for a short stay.

Mrs. Barton H. Wise has returned to Richmond, after a short stay in Harrisburg, Pa.

Corporal Parker Welsiger, of the One Hundred and Fourth Ammunition Train, Camp McClellan, Anniston, Ala., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patterson Welsiger, of Forest Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Massie have returned from a brief trip to their country place in Albemarle County.

Word has been received here that Parke Rogerson, of this city, has been made company commander at the Boston Tech, where he is a student in the Naval Reserve Flying Corps.

Miss Lisle Allee Maynard, who is a student at Goucher College, Md., will return to her home Saturday and will have as her guest, Miss Lelia Riggs, of Durham, N. C., for a few days.

E. A. Embrey, of Shreveport, La., is the guest of Mrs. R. M. O'Ferrall, 1701 Park Avenue.

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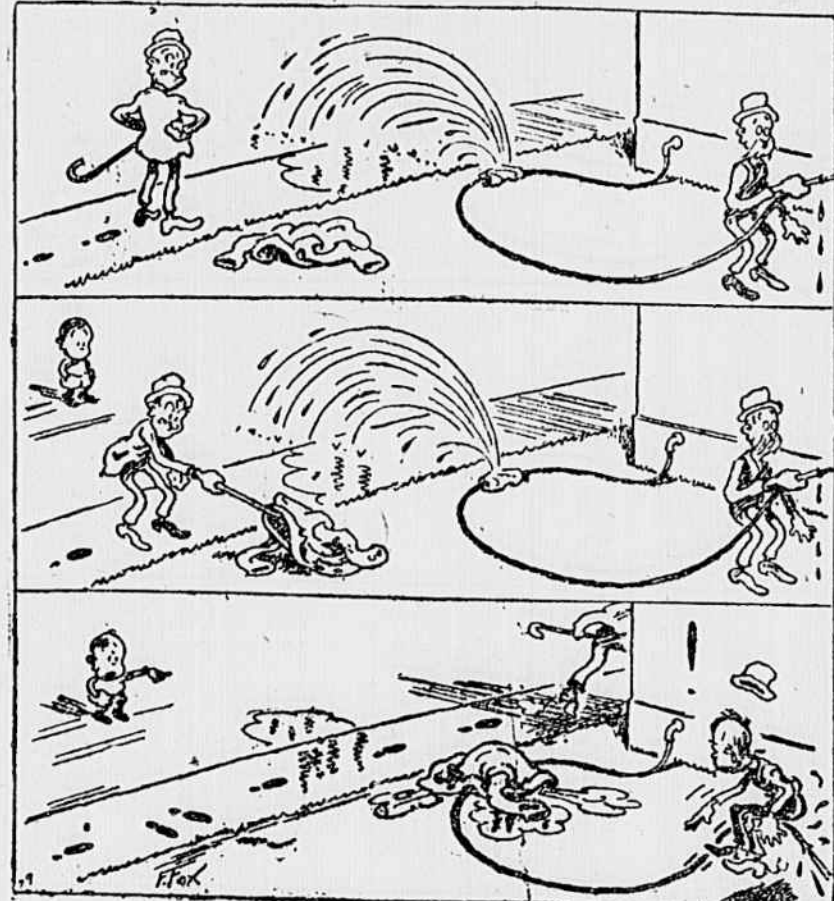
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## Now There Is Another One of the Neighbors That Doesn't Speak to the Terrible-Tempered Mr. Bang

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By F. Fox



Anniston, Ala., is visiting his mother, Mrs. R. W. Tuggle, here.

James P. Gary, of the One Hundred and Fourth Ammunition Train, Camp McClellan, Anniston, Ala., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Park Gary, on Floyd Avenue.

Miss Adele Crozet Mills is visiting friends in the Green Spring valley, Md.

**WOMEN'S MEETINGS.**

The Association of Methodist Women for Social Service will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock in Centenary Church. Rev. Fred R. Chenault will speak on "Sabbath Observance."

The Confederate Memorial Literary Society will meet this morning at 11 o'clock.

The executive committee of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will meet in the eastern annex of the church this morning at 11 o'clock.

**WILL TELL OF WOMAN'S WORK BEHIND THE LINES**

Madame Charles Bieler to Speak at Home of Mrs. T. A. Cary on Friday Afternoon.

Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the home of Mrs. T. Archibald Cary, 1004 West Franklin Street, an opportunity will be given the people of Richmond to hear of a French woman's experience back of the front through a drawing-room talk by Madame Charles Bieler, the gifted daughter of Rev. Merle d'Aubigne, the distinguished historian of the Reformation. She is also a sister of Rev. Charles Merle d'Aubigne and Mademoiselle Juliette d'Aubigne, of Paris, whose visits to Richmond are remembered with pleasure. Madame Bieler is giving her time at her own expense to arousing interest in the war relief needs of France. She officially represents the following war relief activities: "Le Comité Protestant d'Entraide" (housing, feeding and clothing refugees, rebuilding and restoring farms and cottages); "L'Ami du Soldat" (3,000 soldiers from the invaded districts corresponded with, and provided with literature and comforts); "The French Pastoral Godmother Union" (helping the families of French ministers ruined by the war); "The Belgian Protestant Orphanage" (between fifty and sixty orphans fed and educated in a suburb of Brussels). All contributions given to Madame Bieler are sent by her to these organizations in France. The lecture is for the benefit of this work. The public is invited to attend, and both men and women will find the lecture unusually interesting.

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## SURPLUS CURRENT TO BE SOLD TO HIGHEST BIDDER

Finance Committee Reports Ordinance Providing Bond Issue to Finance City's Floating Debt.

After some weeks of consideration, the Council Committee on Finance last night recommended to the Council a substitute ordinance drawn by the City Attorney providing for the sale of any surplus electric current at the municipal plant. Under the terms of the ordinance, the Administrative Board is to call for bids for the estimated amount of current which the city has to spare.

The matter was brought to the attention of the city by the fuel administration some time ago. It was stated that the city has 4,000,000 kilowatt per year surplus current, and that if this were sold to the Virginia Railway and Power Company it would mean a considerable saving in coal.

The committee referred to a subcommittee consisting of Messrs. Powell and Seaton the papers in regard to purchase of motor equipment for the Fire Department.

An ordinance was recommended providing for an issue of \$500,000 in serial bonds, running from one to five years, \$100,000 to be due each year, to take up the floating debt of the city.

The committee recommended acceptance of the offer of Mt. Calvary Cemetery and reported a resolution releasing that property from sewer tax in consideration of its donating land for a fifty-foot street along the front of the property from Randolph to Carter Street.

A compromise payment of \$1,000 was

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recommended in the claim of A. C. Burke for damages from the city taking gravel from his land.

**R. F. & P. Conductor Arrested.**  
Conductor Beavers and Flagman Mallory, who were arrested in this city Monday night on the charge of violating the prohibition law in Alexandria, are not employees of the Seaboard Air Line. They are employed on the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad and run between Washington and Richmond.

**Will Hold Commencement Exercises.**  
Commencement exercises at the Masonic Home of Virginia will be held on June 12. Colonel John W. Saunders, Attorney-General, will deliver the annual address. Complete arrangements have been made for the exercises. There are at the home at this time thirty-six boys and thirty-eight girls. The children are from all parts of the State.

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**THURSDAY AT HIGH NOON**, throughout the length and breadth of America—away up there in Alaska, where the snow still settles in the crevasses; away yonder in the Philippines and Hawaii; in Portland and 'Frisco; Los Angeles and San Diego, where the Pacific ebbs and flows; at Boston and Chicago, New York and New Orleans, Richmond, and finally at Washington, where our great President himself gives worship—there will ascend to God an anthem of praise and a protestation of fealty from a hundred thousand thousand of His creatures.

**ADHERENTS OF every doctrine and creed, no less than the agnostic, the mystic, the atheist and the monist, will unite in this hour in a common prayer:** "Bless the cause of democracy and bring it to speedy victory."

**THAT TREMENDOUS union of desire and of faith cannot but result in a mighty conviction of power—a 100,000,000 man-power thought-impulse for a speedy and honorable ending of carnage.**

**MILLIONS WILL proceed from prayer with the holy impulse of determination written upon their brows. They will approach the great duty of the day with more vital force. The NATION will be closer knit as a unit of strength. The goodness and greatness of our leader will have become more clear. A national state of mind for victory will have been induced.**

**THE CONSECRATION of this day (in which our thoughts normally turn backward to reverence the dead) to a girding of our loins and to humbly beseech the blessing of God, is what those same dead heroes of war would desire.**

**THE THOUGHT was an inspiration—and few there are but in whose prayer the first and last supplication will be: "God bless the President of the United States."**

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